

ANCHOR WINDLASS QUALIFICATION SHEET
YDT-17 / 18

Name: _____ Rate /Rank / Position: _____

	Signature	Date
1. Demonstrate the ability to engage and disengage anchor windlass.	_____	_____
2. State the preferred method of anchoring.	_____	_____
3. Define the term "walk out to water's edge."	_____	_____
4. Define the term "dragging anchor."	_____	_____
5. Define the term "anchors aweigh."	_____	_____
6. Demonstrate the ability to read the length markings on the wire.	_____	_____
7. How much wire and chain does each anchor have?	_____	_____
8. What size and type of anchors are used?	_____	_____
9. What are hair pins and where are they used?	_____	_____
10. What safety equipment is used when anchoring?	_____	_____
11. Describe the use of a devil's claw.	_____	_____
12. What size wire and anchor chain is used?	_____	_____
13. What is the purpose of having the anchor windlass disengaged		

- while getting underway and returning to port? _____
14. What powers the anchor windlass? _____
15. When is the pawl set on the anchor windlass? _____
16. What is the purpose of the levelwind? _____
17. What information is needed from the pilothouse prior to anchoring? _____
18. Explain the procedures used when securing the anchor windlass for sea / after anchoring. _____
19. Explain the safety precautions for anchoring. _____
20. Define the term "fouled anchor." _____
21. Define the term "shod." _____
22. Define the term "clear anchor." _____
23. Define the term "short stay." _____
24. What is the danger of the wire running under the hull of craft? _____
25. What should you do if you have unusual noise or vibration from hydraulic piping? _____

Recommended for Qualification

	Signature	Date
Craftmaster	_____	_____
Chief Engineer	_____	_____

Qualified by Craft Officer	_____
Reviewed by Executive Officer	_____
Approved by Commanding Officer	_____
Service Record Entry Admin Off. (Military)	_____
Contractor Personnel File Entry	_____